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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

JOHNSON & JOHNSON	:	
HEALTH CARE SYSTEMS INC.,	:	Civil Action No. 22-2632(ES)(CLW)
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Plaintiff,	:	Hon. Esther Salas, U.S.D.J.
	:	Hon. Cathy L. Waldor, U.S.M.J
vs.	:	
	:	
SAVE ON SP, LLC,	:	DECLARATION OF
	:	JEFFREY J. GREENBAUM
Defendant.	:	IN SUPPORT OF
	:	MOTION TO SEAL

JEFFREY J. GREENBAUM, hereby declares as follows:

1. I am a member of Sills Cummis & Gross P.C., attorneys for plaintiff Johnson & Johnson Health Care Systems, Inc. (“JJHCS”). In accordance with Local Civil Rule 5.3(c)(3), I submit this Declaration in support of JJHCS’s motion to seal the letter of Defendant Save On SP, LLC (“SaveOnSP”), dated October 26, 2023, regarding benefits investigations and accompanying exhibits (the “October 26 letter”; ECF No. 169).

2. I make this Declaration based upon my personal knowledge and review of the October 26 letter. JJHCS seeks to seal a single redaction to the October 26 letter (the “Confidential Materials”), through the instant motion, in accordance with Local Civil Rule 5.3(c). Counsel for SaveOnSP does not object to this request.

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is the proposed public version of ECF No. 169. As shown in this exhibit, JJHCS is proposing a single redaction of confidential information from the lead October 26 letter. JJHCS does not seek to seal any material in the accompanying exhibits.

4. Local Civil Rule 5.3(c)(1) requires “[a]ny request by a party . . . to file materials under seal, or otherwise restrict public access to, any materials . . . shall ordinarily be made on notice, by a single consolidated motion on behalf of all parties” The single consolidated motion shall include: “(a) the nature of the

materials . . . at issue; (b) the legitimate private or public interest which warrant the relief sought; (c) the clearly defined and serious injury that would result if the relief sought is not granted; (d) why a less restrictive alternative to the relief sought is not available; (e) any prior order sealing the same materials in the pending action; and (f) the identity of any party or nonparty known to be objecting to the sealing request.” L. Civ. R. 5.3(c)(3).

5. In support of its motion, JJHCS has prepared an index setting forth the information that it seeks to seal and the basis for the request. A copy of this index is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

6. The Complaint alleges that SaveOnSP has pilfered tens of millions of dollars from the financial support program offered by JJHCS to its patients, the Janssen CarePath Program (“CarePath”) (ECF No. 1.) The Complaint asserts two causes of action: (1) tortious interference with contract; and (2) deceptive trade practices in violation of N.Y. Gen. Bus. Law § 349.

7. The parties entered into a Discovery Confidentiality Order, which was so ordered by the Court on November 22, 2022 (ECF No. 62).

8. The October 26 letter refers to certain highly sensitive business information pertaining to the administration of the CarePath program and the JJHCS business that was contained in JJHCS’s Responses and Objections to

SaveOnSP's First Set of Interrogatories. Such information was designated as Confidential pursuant to the Discovery Confidentiality Order.

9. JJHCS asserts that it has a strong and legitimate interest in protecting the propriety of its confidential business information from being disclosed to the public. For that reason, its interest in maintaining the confidentiality of this information is paramount.

10. The parties have continued to safeguard and protect the confidentiality of the Confidential Materials during the course of this action. *See* ECF No. 62.

11. JJHCS asserts that disclosure of this confidential and proprietary information to the public would cause it irreparable harm because it would place JJHCS at a competitive disadvantage if its competitors secured the information. In short, disclosure of this confidential information serves no useful purpose.

12. Sealing the October 26 letter is the least restrictive alternative means of protecting JJHCS's highly confidential information, as there is no alternative means to protect against the disclosure of this confidential information.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on November 21, 2023.

s/ Jeffrey J. Greenbaum
JEFFREY J. GREENBAUM